

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

Mikhail Cirkunovs, on behalf of himself and
all others similarly situated,

Plaintiff(s),

vs.

Zuffa LLC, TKO Operating Company, LLC f/k/a
Zuffa Parent LLC (d/b/a Ultimate Fighting
Championship and UFC) and Endeavor Group
Holdings, Inc., Defendant(s).

Case #2:25-cv-00914-RFB-BNW

**VERIFIED PETITION FOR
PERMISSION TO PRACTICE
IN THIS CASE ONLY BY
ATTORNEY NOT ADMITTED
TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT
AND DESIGNATION OF
LOCAL COUNSEL**

FILING FEE IS \$250.00

Joseph R. Saveri,

(name of petitioner)

Petitioner, respectfully represents to the Court:

1. That Petitioner is an attorney at law and a member of the law firm of

Joseph Saveri Law Firm, LLP

(firm name)

with offices at 601 California Street, Suite 1505,

(street address)

San Francisco,

(city)

California,

(state)

94108,

(zip code)

(415) 500-6800,

(area code + telephone number)

jsaveri@saverilawfirm.com.

(Email address)

2. That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by

Mikhail Cirkunovs

[client(s)]

to provide legal representation in connection with

the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.

4. That Petitioner was admitted to practice before the following United States District Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the Supreme Court of the United States and Courts of other States on the dates indicated for each, and that Petitioner is presently a member in good standing of the bars of said Courts.

[illegible]

5. That there are or have been no disciplinary proceedings instituted against petitioner, nor any suspension of any license, certificate or privilege to appear before any judicial, regulatory or administrative body, or any resignation or termination in order to avoid disciplinary or disbarment proceedings, except as described in detail below:

None.

6. That Petitioner has never been denied admission to the State Bar of Nevada. (Give particulars if ever denied admission):

None.

7. That Petitioner is a member of good standing in the following Bar Associations.

None.

8. Petitioner has filed application(s) to appear as counsel under Local Rule IA 11-2 (formerly LR IA 10-2) during the past three (3) years in the following matters: (State "none" if no applications.)

Date of Application	Cause	Title of Court Administrative Body or Arbitrator	Was Application Granted or Denied
09/21/2023	<i>Johnson v. Zuffa, LLC</i>	USDC-NV Case No. 2:21-cv-01189-RFB-BNW	Granted
	<i>Davis v. Zuffa, LLC</i>	USDC-NV Case No. 2:25-cv-00946-RFB-BNW	Pending

(If necessary, please attach a statement of additional applications)

9. Petitioner consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of the State of Nevada with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same extent as a member of the State Bar of Nevada.

10. Petitioner agrees to comply with the standards of professional conduct required of the members of the bar of this court.

11. Petitioner has disclosed in writing to the client that the applicant is not admitted to practice in this jurisdiction and that the client has consented to such representation.

1 That Petitioner respectfully prays that Petitioner be admitted to practice before this Court
 2 FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS CASE ONLY.

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 4 STATE OF California)
 5 COUNTY OF San Francisco)
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Joseph R. Sawyer
 Petitioner's signature

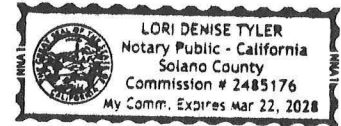
7 Joseph R. Sawyer, Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:
 8 That the foregoing statements are true.

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 10 Subscribed and sworn to before me this

Joseph R. Sawyer
 Petitioner's signature

11 6th day of June, 2025
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13 [Signature]
 Notary Public or Clerk of Court



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 16 **DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO**
 17 **THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO.**

18 Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, the Petitioner
 19 believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Michael J. Gayan,
 (name of local counsel)
 20 Attorney at Law, member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the
 21 above-entitled Court as associate resident counsel in this action. The address and email address of
 22 said designated Nevada counsel is:

23 4101 Meadows Lane, Suite 100
 (street address)
 24 Las Vegas, Nevada, 89107
 (city) (state) (zip code)
 25 (702) 333-7777, mike@claggettlaw.com
 (area code + telephone number) (Email address)
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1 By this designation the petitioner and undersigned party(ies) agree that this designation constitutes
2 agreement and authorization for the designated resident admitted counsel to sign stipulations
3 binding on all of us.
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5 **APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL**

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7 The undersigned party(ies) appoint(s) Michael J. Gayan as
8 his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.
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10 /s/ Mikhail Cirkunovs
11 (party's signature)


12 Mikhail Cirkunovs
13 (type or print party name, title)

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15 (party's signature)

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17 (type or print party name, title)

18 **CONSENT OF DESIGNEE**

19 The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.

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21 Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

22 11135
23 Bar number

24 mike@claggettlaw.com
25 Email address

26 APPROVED:

27 Dated: this 13 day of June, 2025.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Attachment A

COURTS TO WHICH JOSEPH R. SAVERI IS ADMITTED

COURT	DATE
California (Cal Bar No. 130064)	Admitted December 11, 1987
Northern District of California	December 11, 1987
Central District of California	September 26, 1995
Southern District of California	September 28, 1995
Eastern District of California	July 25, 2008
Eastern District of Michigan	August 24, 2009
Eastern District of Wisconsin	March 5, 2010
Northern District of Illinois	March 11, 2015
First Circuit Court of Appeal	May 20, 2004
Second Circuit Court of Appeal	February 13, 2006
Fifth Circuit Court of Appeal	January 26, 2009
Seventh Circuit Court of Appeal	July 12, 1996
Eighth Circuit Court of Appeal	December 11, 2003
Ninth Circuit Court of Appeal	December 11, 1987
Federal Circuit Court of Appeal	December 19, 2007
United States Supreme Court	December 13, 2004



Supreme Court of California

JORGE E. NAVARRETE
Clerk and Executive Officer of the Supreme Court

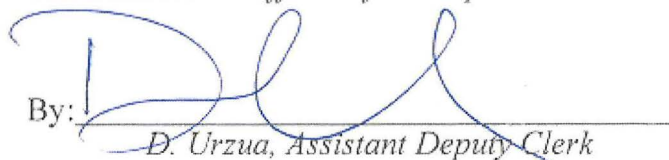
CERTIFICATE OF THE CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT
OF THE
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

JOSEPH RICHARD SAVERI

I, JORGE E. NAVARRETE, Clerk/Executive Officer of the Supreme Court of the State of California, do hereby JOSEPH RICHARD SAVERI, #130064 was on the 11th day of December 1987, duly admitted to practice as an attorney and counselor at law in all the courts of this state, and is now listed on the Roll of Attorneys as a member of the bar of this state in good standing.

*Witness my hand and the seal of the court
on the 23rd day of December 2024.*

JORGE E. NAVARRETE
Clerk/Executive Officer of the Supreme Court

By: 
D. Urzua, Assistant Deputy Clerk